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Officers Assaulted in 2009

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Assaults Reported	249
Change from 2008	-1.6%



During the year 2009, two Idaho law enforcement officers were killed in the line of duty.

Today the ambitious young person who considers a career in law enforcement must also consider the risk of being killed or assaulted by a member of the society they are sworn to protect.

Data collection on officers killed or assaulted includes aggravated assaults which result in serious injury or in which a weapon was used which could have caused serious injury or death. The reporting of simple assault incidents are excluded where mere verbal abuse or minor resistance to an arrest exist.

Assaults by Jurisdiction

County Officers	12.5%
City Officers	85.1%
State Officers	2.4%

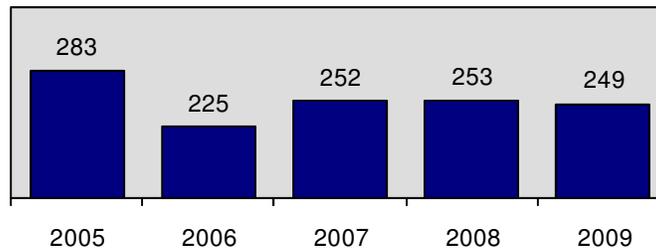


Assaults on Officers by Time of Day

		Distribution
12 am - 4 am	4 am	26.2%
4 am - 8 am	8 am	4.4%
8 am - 12 pm	12 pm	6.0%
12 pm - 4 pm	4 pm	13.3%
4 pm - 8 pm	8 pm	21.4%
8 pm - 12 am		28.9%

In 2009, the assault rate calculated at 9.3 per 100 sworn officers.

Total Officers Assaulted in Idaho 5 Year Trend



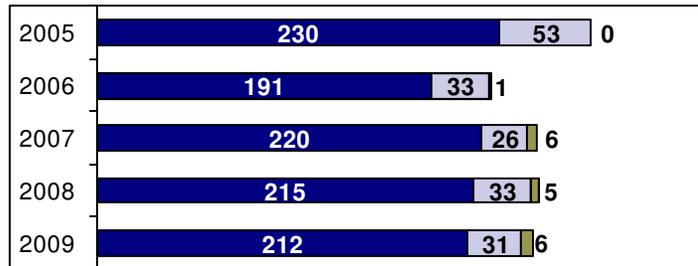
* Adjusted population base: 1,543,741.

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Idaho Law Officers
Killed in the Line of Duty
by Reporting Year

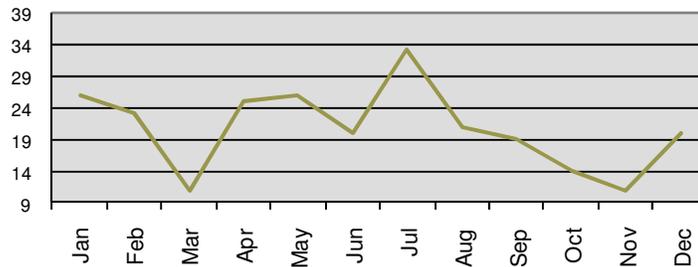
1883	1	1966	1
1890	1	1967	1
1901	1	1968	2
1904	1	1969	2
1914	1	1970	2
1918	1	1971	2
1921	1	1972	2
1924	3	1974	1
1926	1	1976	1
1928	3	1979	1
1931	1	1981	2
1934	2	1985	1
1935	2	1989	3
1938	1	1992	1
1939	2	1994	1
1940	2	1995	1
1945	1	1997	1
1946	1	1998	1
1951	1	2001	3
1957	1	2002	1
1962	1	2003	1
1964	1	2007	1
1965	2	2009	2
Total			63

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Total Assaulted by Category
5 Year Trend



■ City Officers
 ■ County Officers
 ■ State Officers

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Total Assaults by Month in 2009



Type of Law Enforcement Officer Activity	# of Assaulted Officers
Responding to "disturbance" calls	132
Handling, transporting, custody of prisoners	14
Traffic pursuits and stops	29
All other activity	31
Attempting other arrests	18
Investigating suspicious persons or circumstances	10
Mentally deranged	6
Ambush-no warning	2
Burglaries in progress or pursuing burglary suspects	3
Civil disorder (riots, etc.)	2
Robberies in progress or pursuing robbery suspects	2

National Facts on
Officers Assaulted
in 2008

Source: 2008 Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted, U.S. Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Investigation

- ◆ 26.1% officers assaulted were injured.
- ◆ 41 law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty.
- ◆ Average of 11.3 per 100 officers were assaulted.

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Assaults by Agency-County for 2009

Ada CSO	11	Boundary CSO	1	Gooding CSO	0	Minidoka Co Total	0
Boise PD	59	Bonnars Ferry PD	0	Gooding PD	0		
Garden City PD	8	Boundary Co Total	1	Hagerman PD	0	Nez Perce CSO	0
Meridian PD	12			Wendell PD	0	Lewiston PD	24
Ada Co Total	90	Butte Co Total	4	Gooding Co Total	0	Nez Perce Co Total	24
Adams Co Total	0	Camas Co Total	0	Idaho CSO	0	Oneida Co Total	0
				Cottonwood PD	0		
Bannock CSO	0	Canyon CSO	0	Grangeville PD	0	Owyhee CSO	0
Chubbuck PD	0	Caldwell PD	6	Idaho Co Total	0	Homedale PD	0
Pocatello PD	13	Nampa PD	21			Owyhee Co Total	0
Bannock Co Total	13	Parma PD	1	Jefferson CSO	0		
		Wilder PD	0	Rigby PD	0	Payette CSO	0
Bear Lake CSO	0	Canyon Co Total	28	Jefferson Co Total	0	Fruitland PD	1
Montpelier PD	0					Payette PD	3
Bear Lake Co Total	0	Caribou CSO	0	Jerome CSO	0	Payette Co Total	4
		Soda Springs PD	0	Jerome PD	1		
Benewah CSO	0	Caribou Co Total	0	Jerome Co Total	1	Power CSO	0
St. Maries PD	0					American Falls PD	0
Benewah Co Total	0	Cassia Co Total	0	Kootenai CSO	8	Power Co Total	0
				Coeur d' Alene PD	23		
Bingham CSO	4	Clark Co Total	0	Post Falls PD	4	Shoshone CSO	0
Aberdeen PD	0			Rathdrum PD	0	Kellogg PD	0
Blackfoot PD	3	Clearwater CSO	0	Spirit Lake PD	0	Osburn PD	0
Shelley PD	0	Orofino PD	0	Kootenai Co Total	35	Pinehurst PD	0
Bingham Co Total	7	Clearwater Co Total	0			Shoshone Co Total	0
				Latah CSO	0		
Blaine CSO	1			Moscow PD	0	Teton Co Total	0
Belleue Marshal	0	Custer CSO	0	Latah Co Total	0		
Hailey PD	0	Challis PD	0			Twin Falls CSO	0
Ketchum PD	1	Custer Co Total	0	Lemhi CSO	0	Buhl PD	0
Sun Valley PD				Salmon PD	0	Filer PD	0
Blaine Co Total	2	Elmore CSO	0	Lemhi Co Total	0	Twin Falls PD	9
		Mountain Home PD	3			Twin Falls Co Total	9
Boise CSO	0	Elmore Co Total	3	Lewis CSO	0		
Idaho City PD	0			Kamiah Marshal	0	Valley CSO	2
Boise Co Total	0	Franklin CSO	0	Lewis Co Total	0	Cascade PD	0
		Preston PD	0			McCall PD	0
Bonner CSO	0	Franklin Co Total	0	Lincoln Co Total	0	Valley Co Total	2
Priest River PD	0						
Ponderay PD	0	Fremont CSO	0	Madison CSO	0	Washington CSO	0
Sandpoint PD	0	St. Anthony PD	0	Rexburg PD	0	Weiser PD	0
Bonner Co Total	0	Fremont Co Total	0	Madison Co Total	0	Washington Co Total	0
Bonneville CSO	0	Gem CSO	0	Minidoka CSO	0	Idaho State Police	6
Idaho Falls PD	20	Emmett PD	0	Heyburn PD	0		
Bonneville Co Total	20	Gem Co Total	0	Rupert PD	0	State Total	249